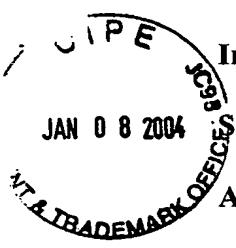


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re U.S. Patent Application of

JAN 08 2004 SASAKI et al.

Application Number: 10/680,159

Filed: October 8, 2003

For: AUDIO AND VIDEO COMBINED APPARATUS

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. TESD.0023

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

LETTER

Sir:

The below-identified communications are submitted in the above-captioned application or proceeding:

(x) Information Disclosure Statement w/refs

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication, including fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and 1.17 or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 08-1480**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Stanley P. Fisher
Registration Number 24,344

Juan Carlos A. Marquez
Registration Number 34,072

REED SMITH LLP
3110 Fairview Park Drive
Suite 1400
Falls Church, Virginia 22042
(703) 641-4200

January 8, 2004

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of)
JAN 08 2004)
SASAKI et al.)
Application Number: 10/680,159)
Filed: October 8, 2003)
For: AUDIO AND VIDEO COMBINED APPARATUS)
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. TESD.0023)

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, this Information Disclosure Statement is submitted in the above-identified patent application. A listing of documents to be published on the face of any patent granted from this application is submitted herewith on Form PTO-1449. Any other documents or information submitted for consideration by the Examiner are listed in this paper. A copy of each U.S. and foreign patent, or each publication or portion thereof listed or herein identified, submitted herewith.

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted within three months of the filing date of the above-captioned U.S. patent application. Accordingly, no fee is due or payable at this time.

The Examiner is requested to acknowledge consideration of the information provided in this paper in accordance with prescribed procedures.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 08-1480.

Respectfully submitted,

Stanley P. Fisher
Registration Number 24,344

Juan Carlos A. Marquez
Registration Number 34,072

REED SMITH LLP
3110 Fairview Park Drive
Suite 1400
Falls Church, Virginia 22042
(703) 641-4200

January 8, 2004

<p>Form PTO 1449</p> <p>U.S. Department of commerce Patent and Trademark Office</p> <p>Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant</p>	ATTY. DOCKET NUMBER	SERIAL NUMBER
	TESD.0023	10/680,159
	APPLICANT	
	SASAKI et al.	
FILING DATE	GROUP	
October 8, 2003		

JAN 08 2005

U.S. Patent Documents

Foreign Patent Documents

Other Documents (Including Author, Title, Date Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

Other Documents (including Author, Title, Date, Filing, Pages, Etc.)		
EXAMINER		DATE CONSIDERED

Examiner: Initial if citation is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw a line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include a copy of this form with next communication to applicant

PTO 1449